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# ADMIRAL DEWEY WILL COME TO WHEELING

Accompanied by His Estimable Wife, He Will be With Us on February 22.

NEAT AND THOROUGH WORK OF THE COMMITTEE OF CITIZENS.

Judge Cranmer's Effective Talk Just Long Enough and Filled With Patriotic Sentiment - The Great Admiral Deeply Affected, but Responded Feelingly-The Intelligencer Man Comes to His Aid-Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Highly Pleased With Their Present From Wheeling.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

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Wheeling's Wedding Gift.

ing will have in view your continued happiness through life's journey."

The Admiral's Reply.

As Judge Cranmer spoke the admiral was visibly affected, and without

doubt he appreciated their full worth every word and sentiment uttered by

the speaker. Admiral Dewey respond-ed briefly and feelingly. He said: "Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen:—It

gives great pleasure to Mrs. Dewey and

me to accept this beautiful testimony

of your esteem for us. It comes at an opportune time. It is not necessary

for me to say that we will keep it al-

ways, and remember the donors, I as-

sure you."
Mrs. Dewey smiled her approval of

"What is the date you desire for our visit to Wheeling?" inquired the ad-

"February 22, Washington's Birth-

day," responded Judge Cranmer.
"All right; we accept with pleasure. Put it down, Mr. Crawford," was

the ready response of the admiral.

The Wheeling people found them

selves barely unable to restrain their hand-clapping and cheers the hearts

bade them use as expressing the pleasure the admiral's answer had caused.

"And not only do I accept your invi

tation because I desire to honor the

spoken, but because I desire to meet you gentlemen again," were the gra-

the admiral's response.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23,-"We | to yourself and Mrs. Dewey. Permit me

have met Dewey, and he is ours."

to add, before closing, that
the expression, only different, as
the future may have in store for you
and your honorable wife, we of Wheelused by that other naval hero, Oliver Hazard Perry, describes the situation to-night. The invitation committee from Wheeling arrived in town over an hour late this morning, and then, to cap the climax, the steam elevator at the Riggs House became stalled midway between floors, with the Wheeling crowd aboard. Notwithstanding these little mishaps, the committee got to-gether shortly before the hour named by Admiral Dewey, 19 o'clock, and were driven to the admiral's residence, on Rhode Island avenue. Here they were Rhode Island avenue. Here they were first in turn presented to the admiral's secretary, Mr. Crawford, by the Intel-ligencer representative, through whom the appointment with the admiral had Proceeding to the recepbeen made. I would have been made in the form of the f dial welcome to their home.

The Presentation.

Meantime, the jardinier to be sented had been prominently placed and filled with chrysanthemums. It was indeed an object of beauty, Soon the delegation was lined up, surrounding the testimonial about to be pre-gented. Judge Cranmer, the spokes-man, stood in front, adjoining Admiral and Mrs. Dewey, while Mrs. Ludlow the latter's sister, was nearby, and Sec. retary Crawford and the admiral's Chinese servant, Ah Mow, were also present. Judge Cranmer made a quie but effective talk, just long enough and

man give anything he has in his power to give to his wife? But I felt confi-dent the American people would not take this hostile stand, and to-day I am receiving many telegrams from all read of the country, saying: 'You're all right, Dewey,' and words to that effect. Some of these have come from Texas and other distant places, and I can assure you I appreciate this change of sintiment."

Before the delegation departed, Ad-

miral Dewey turned to the Intelligencer man, and handed him a speech of ac-ceptance, prepared for the occasion, he said, by John (meaning Mr. John R. McLean, the late Democratic candidate for governor of Ohlo, and the ad-miral's brother-in-law). However, it mirars brother-in-law). However, it is in the admiral's handwriting, and possibly he was only poking fun at John. At any rate, this is the speech that the admiral read to the delegation after his real and impromptu speech of thanks."

"Gentlemen:-It is with great pleasure that I accept this beautiful gift. To my countymen, who thus honor me, I am depely grateful. My great coun-try has more than rewarded my efforts. In return I have given all I had-my life service. My love of country, its institutions, its traditions, have always been an incentive to do my best. be thus honored gives me great happi-ness-fills my heart with gratitude." His Only Visit in This Vicinity.

"I suppose you go to Columbus the day before or after visiting Wheeling,"

remarked the Intelligencer man.
"No, not at all," responded the ad-"The Columbus trip is not yet I said I would go next spring, Bettled. but no date has been set, and they may not want me then. You know our people. The Wheeling invitation is the only one I have accepted or will accept, owing to my engagements

"Admiral Dewey, we feel flattered, indeed," was the instantaneous response from several of the Wheeling delega-

Dr. R. M. Baird, of the delegation, on behalf of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, invited Admiral Dewey to be the guest of honor at the annual dinner of the society, which occurs on the evening of the day of the admiral's visit to Wheeling.

"Put that down, too," said the ad-

miral. The members of the committee who waited on Admiral Dewey were Judge G. L. Cranmer, T. M. Garvin, Dr. R. M. Baird, John Frew, John Waterhouse, Alex. Updegraff, M. A. Chew, James Stedman, H. C. Ogden and R. M.

This afternon the delegation was ta ken over several of the government buildings by Captain Pannell Garden, of the capitol police. To-night committee attended the performance To-night the "That Girl From Maxim's," at the National Theatre. It is rumored one or two slipped away from the crowd in the afternoon, and saw that naughty French farce, "M"lie Fifi." The visitors departed for home at midnight.

AGED CITIZEN KILLED. Terrible Death of George H. Trembly,

at Terra Alta, Yesterday.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
TERRA ALTA, W. Va., Nov. 23.—
George H. Trembly, aged sixty years, instantly killed here this morning at 7:30 o'clock by being struck by a Baltimore & Ohio helping engine. Mr. Trembly was on the track just west of town, and had stepped out of the way of town, and had stepped out of the way of a freight which was ascending the bill and directly in the way of the descending helper. Death was instantaneous, the body beling badly mangled. Mr. Trembly was a retired farmer, quite well-to-do, and owned a handsome property here in town. He was for many years postmaster at Tannery, Preston county, and for ten years past acted as United States weather observer for the county. He leaves a wife and several children. A sad instance in connection with the

death is that the dead man's son and bride arrived here this evening from the far west on their bridal tour. Involuntary Manslaughter.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov.

Frank Ray, on trial here for the murder found guilty to-day of involuntary manslaughter. Ray was shooting at another man, when Williams was hit. At a previous trial he was found guilty of murder in the second degree.

Conductor Killed.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
PARSONS, W. Va., Nov. 23.—A train an away on a grade on the Otter Creek railroad last evening, flew the track and smashed things up generally. Floyd Propst, the conductor, was killed. The train was loaded with logs.

HORRIBLE CRIME.

Mother and Three Children Murdered

Mother and Three Children Muruered in Pennsylvania. WILLIAMSPORT, Nov. 23.—Mont-gomery, this county, is all in a frenzy to-night over the discovery that wholesale murder has been committed at a farm about a mile from the town. Sev-eral weeks ago there appeared on the scene a peddler by the name of Hummell, who married a widow with three children. For the past week neighbors driving past the farm noticed that there was no signs of habitation and omment was made. An investigation made late this afternoon revealed the fact that a horrible crime had been committed. On searching further the bodies of two children were found hidden reath a straw stack.

beneath a straw stack. On going litto the house the mother and another child were found dead in their siceping apartments. The husband was seen around the town yesterday, but since that time nothing is known of his whereabouts. Should he be found he would probably be lynched, as a mob is now searching the vicinity armed with guns and ropes. The dead were horribly mutiliated, the murderer evidently using a club in carrying out his flendish crime. The coroner and reporters left or the midnight train for the scene of the crime to make an official investigation.

SMALL BANDS OF FILIPINOS SCATTERED.

Retreating From Trench to Trench Under Fire.

WHAT AGUINALDO LOOKS LIKE

Spanish Corporal Gives a Lurid Description of the Metsoric Filipino Chief as He Saw Him.

MANILA, Nov. 23 .- 12:50 p. m .- The insurgents from the north are concentrating at Montaiban and San Mateo where it is expected they will make re-sistance to the American advance. The Spaniards never occupied these places, and the insurgents believe them to be impregnable.

A reconoissance to the northwest of San Mateo on Tuesday developed the fact that the rebels were moving stores and men to Montalban. The number of insurgents is unknown. A reconnoissance made yesterday showed that 200 rebels are entrenched at San Mateo and others in the valley between there and Marquina, where the insurgents are stationed. General Young entered San Mateo last night, and found the place not especially adapted for a strong resistance.

Colonel Carpenter, on November 18, advanced to Santa Barbara, straight north from Jaro, taking trench after trench, the enemy fighting and retreating. General Hughes' column has stead-ily been advancing north to gain a position west of Santa Barbara. It encountered the enemy in small detach-Six to ten Americans were wounded in this column. Colonel Car-penter started during the night of November 20, and opened with Battery G. of the Sixth artillery, at daybreak, November 21, on the trenches. The enemy volleyed as the artillery took up a position, wounding four.

Beating the Enemy Back.

Two companies of the Twenty-sixth regiment, garrisoning Jaro, moved through Capaz, attacking the enemy on the right flank, just north of Jaro daybreak, November 21, driving them towards Colonel Carpenter. The country between Jaro and Santa Barbara is thickly entrenched, and the Eighteenth regiment charged, the enemy retreating to the next trench. The Eighteenth again charged, encountering and attacking a force of Bolo men, who were hid in the long grass, and who severely wounded several Americans. the afternoon of November 21 the fight-ing was severe immediately south of

Pavia, three miles north of Jaro.

The Twenty-six companies returned to Jaro after the flank movement, having captured three six-pound smoothbore cannon and a quantity of arms and ammunition. The enemy's loss was not obtainable, but seven men were found dead in one trench. The insurgents are falling back on Santa Bar-bara, which, it is expected, General Hughes has attacked before this.

Spanish Corporal's Story.

A Spanish corporal, captured by the Filipinos, has arrived here from Tar-He says he saw Aguinaldo, accompanied by a prominent leader and fifteen men, arrive at Bayambang during the night of November 13, hatless his clothes torn and spattered with mud and his horse exhausted. Aguinaldo, and his horse exhausted. Aguinaldo, it appears, rested a short time, seemed anxious, consulted with his companions and the villagers as to the nature of proceeded immediately toward Mangalaren, in Pangasin province, west of Bayambang. The corporal tells a He is convinced he is not mistaken, having seen Aguinaldo several times during recent months. Aguinaldo, it appears, would have had time to leave Bayambang November 13, and pass through General Wheaton's lines No-

The fording of Pampanga river above Tarlac by the Thirty-sixth regiment and a battalion of the Seventeenth regiment was a noteworthy feature. river is broad and swift. Part of the command was ferried over on rafts and the remainder swam over, holding on to a life ling strung across

Gen Wheaton All Right. General Wheaton, when General Mac

Arthur communicated with him, olding San Fabian and two or three neighboring towns.

Captain Leonhauser's capture of the town of O'Donnell was a rem stroke. His command consisted three companies of the Twenty-fifth regiment, Captain Albright and Lieutenants Bates and Morton commanding. He started at 6 oclock at night, and marched fifteen miles in the mud. only regular approach was along a road and over a river whose bridge was strongly entrenched. The soldiers left the road, and followed a cattle trail to the rear of the town. At daylight the command reparated, one company ad-vancing on the back of the town and the others flanking it. The insurgent force was asleep, except those at outposts, who were captured without shooting. One platoon ran down the main street to a trench, and the other detachments made a quick search of An officer, describing the scene, said:

"The negro soldiers were pouring out of every house, dragging sleepy, frighted Filipino warriors by the collar and a race to see which company corral the most Filipinos. The women told that the negro soldiers were can-

nibals, shricked frightfully. the rifles had been secured, the Filip-inos were surprised by being told to go to their homes and attend to work."

Gen. Otis' Beinforcements.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—It is said at the war department that by the and at the war department that by the end of the present week General Otts will receive reinforcements to the number of 3,000 men. It is expected that the major portion of this force will be thrown directly into Cavite province, south of Manila, and will clean out the insurgents who have infested that region etver since the fall of Manila. The insurgents in this section are believed to number about 1,600 or 2,000 men.

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Pall Bearers Selected by Mr. Hobart. Musical Features of the Services. Disposition of the Remains.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23 .- President Mc-Kinley, the members of his cabinet and the judges of the supreme court of the United States will arrive at the Broadway station of the Susquehanna railroad, Paterson, N. J., at 12:50 p. m. Saturday, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Garret A. Ho bart, vice president of the United States. Colonel Richard Bright, sergeant-at-arms of the senate, arrived at Paterson, to-night, for the purpose making arrangements for their recep-

A special train bearing the members of Congress, will also arrive at Pater-son at 1:10 p. m., and the train of the or congress, will also arrive at raterson at 1:19 p. m., and the train of the New Jersey state officials is expected to arrive at 1:40 p.m. The funeral service at Carroli hall, the home of the late vice president, will be short and simple, the reading of the Scriptures and prayer completing the programme there. The service at the Church of the Redeemer will occupy less than one hour. Rev. Dr. Magie will preach and prayers will be offered by Rev. Dr. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the senate, and the Rev. Dr. Shaw, of Paterson. The only vocal music rendered at the church service will consist of two pleces produced by the Orpheus club. Mr. Hobart has been a subscribing member of the club from its inception six years ago, and the members esteem it an honor to be given the opportunity of paying a last tribute of respect to the vice president.

Prof. Wiske will play on the organ funeral marches from Chopin and Beethoven. Mr. Hobart Smock, a cousin of the late vice president, ahares the responsibility of the supervision of the musical arrangement.

While the Orpheus Club was re-

responsibility of the supervision of the musical arrangement. While the Orpheus Club was rehearsing as its second number another selection, a request came from Mrs. Hobart for a substitution of the hymn "Nearer My God to Thee." This was Mr. Hobart's favorite. It was rehearsed to an adaptation by Prof. Wiske similar to that given at the funerals of General Grant, General Logan and President Garfield, and at the dedication of Grant's tomb. The other selection will be produced to music by Chwapai, the words being considered singularly appropriate to Mr. Hobart's life in public and to his personal relations. The poem commences as follows:

tions. The poem commences as follows:
"Weary hands, oh, weary hands,
Resting new from life's endeavor
From the conflict,
From the fever,
Peaceful lying where ye fell,
Oh, folded hands, farewell, farewell!"
Vice President Hobart during the
long illness preceding his death selected his pall-bearers. The following persons are believed to have been designated to act in this capacity: Judge
J. Franklin Fort, of Newark; Franklin
Murphy, of Newark; E. T. Bell, of Paterson; Col. William Barber, of Paterson; George Wurts, secretary of state
of New Jersey, and Col. Joseph W.
Congdon, of the staff of Governor Voorhees, of New Jersey.
The body will be placed in a receiving
vault at Cedar Lawn and it will be ten
days later before the remains will be
interred. All the federal government
officers in the financial district of New
York City, will be closed on Saturday,
as a mark of respect to the late vice
president. It is also expected that a
number of the business exchanges will
close in consequence of the funeral.

## BROADWAY EXPLOSION.

Gas Ignites in a Trench in the Crowded Part of New York City-One Man Killed and Several Injured.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.-By the exploon of gas in a trench at Broadway and Canal streets to-day, Charles O'Nelll, in the employ of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, lost his life and six others were injured. The re port of the explosion was terrific. had accumulated in the trench, which was covered with four-inch planks, Beneath there was a net work of gas, water and sewer pipes and electrical condults. The trench was dug by the Met ropolitan Street Railway Company, and sixteen men were at work in and around it.

A sheer of flame suddenly shot twanty

around it

A sheer of flame suddenly shot twenty feet high and in a moment the air was filled with flying planks and broken glass, all the windows of the buildings in the vicinity being shattered by the concussion. O'Nell's skull was crushin the vicinity being shattered by the concussion. O'Nelli's skull was crushed in. A double truck was lifted several feet from the ground and enveloped in the flames. The driver was hurled to the ground, but was not badly injured. Broadway and Canal streets were crowded with cars, wagons and pedestrians and it was thought that a more serious calamity had occurred. A crowded Broadway cable car passed along the edge of the trench a moment before the explosion. The passengers all escapped uninjured. A polleeman was internally injured. Two of the laborers were ctruck by flying timbers and rendered unconscious, while the others injured were cut and burned.

MOUNT VERNON, Ohio, Nov. 23 .- In a fit of jealousy to-night, Charles Goldsborough shot and killed his wife and a few minutes later shot and killed and a few minutes later shot and killed himself. The tragedy occurred in the rear of Goldsborough's saloon, on Vine street. The couple had quarreled a few minutes before the crimes were committed and Mrs. Goldsborough was walking away from her hushand when he killed her. He then entered the bar-room of the saloon and killed him-self.

Wages Settled.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 23.—The war question on the Wheeling & Lake Eric railway was settled to-day, a general advance equivalent to about ten per cent being granted. A change will be made from the trip system to the mile-age system of pay.

## REPETITION OF THE BATTLE OF ELANDSLAAGTE

Startling News of a Great Struggle at Belmont Received in London.

BRITISH BRILLIANT VICTORY

Reported to Have Been at a Cost of a Heavy Loss of Officers and Men.

(Special Associated Press Cable to The Intelligencer.)

LONDON, November 24,-5 a. m.-Before anxiety as to the situation in Natal had been relieved there comes news of a great battle at Belmont. This has happened sooner than was expect-Only the official account is yet to hand, but so far as can be gathered the fighting appears to have been almost a repetition of the battle of Elandslaagte. A dispatch of the pre-vious day estimated that the Boers in that vicinity numbered 2,000, and that they had five guns, and judging from the absence of any statement to the contrary in the official dispatch, it is believed that the British were slightly superior in numbers to the enemy.

The Boers had chosen a position with

their customary skill, and were strong-ly entrenched. The British were obliged to carry three ridges in succession. Apparently the guards bore the brunt in carrying the last ridge by a bayonet charge, after its defenders had been shaken with shrappel. Nothing is said as to whether the positions so gained were helid, and the destruction of ammunition seems to indicate that the contrary was the case.

While General Methuen can be con-

gratulated upon a brilliant victory, it is again at a cost of a heavy loss of officers and men.

LONDON WAR OFFICE NEWS. Summary of Events at Kimberley for

the Past Five Days. LONDON, November 23.—The war of

nce this evening issued a dispatch from Cape Town, which is a brief official diary of events at Kimberley from November 12 to November 17. It shows that no serious engagement occurred between those dates, and that the Brit-ish losses were probably very small. The final entry indicates that the Boers, anticipating the advance of the relief column under General Methuen. have taken up defensive positions to the south of the town. The dispatch follows:
"KIMBERLEY, November 12.—The

Boers fired four hundred shells yester-day. Our expenditure up to date is about 200 shells.
"November 13-There was a desul-

tory bombardment to-day, the Boer practice being indifferent.

"November 14. - The bombardment

continued to-day.
"November 16. — At daybreak our

mounted troops made a sortie. The morning was misty, and our scouts came suddenly upon the Boers, who fired wildly. An artillery engagement ensued. We had two men wounded.

"November 17.—There was another sortle at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Bulpritein, which drove the ene-my to the edge of Alexanders contein. Our only casualty was a captain wounded. It is reported that the Boers are concentrating south of Kimberley, and now occupy laagers at Stagstein-fontein station and Scheltz Nek. The camp is practically surrounded by coppice, and the country is spitable to their tactics."

Affairs in Kentucky.

of the official returns have now been certified by the county boards of canvassers and probably within a week the state election commissioners at Frankfort will begin their task ing which ticket was elected Novem 7. The Jefferson county canvassers 7. The Jefferson county canvassers will begin their task of determin-7. The Jefferson county canvassers today heard arguments of counsel on a
motion to throw out the vote of the city
of Louisville, on the ground of alleged
intimidation by soldiers who were called out by Governor Bradley on election
day. The Republicans took the ground
that the board had no jurisdiction, being empowered simply to count and tabulate the votes. This view was sustained and the matter now goes to the
state board, where no doubt the Democrats will renew their motion. A number of additional indictments were returned to-day by the federal grand jury
against alleged violators of election
laws.

Heavy Wind in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 28.—Re-ports received here to-day from Paris, Logan county, in regard to the storm at Magazine and Booneville, are con-flicting. One report is that two-thirds if the houses at Magazine were destroyif the houses at Magazine were destroyed; that three houses at Booneville, 12
miles northeast of Magazine, were demolished, and that two persons were
killed. Another report says that six
houses were wrocked at Magazine and
that eight persons were injured. The
reports agree that both towns sustained considerable damage. In the territory between Magazine and Booneville,
nearly all the fencing of the farmers
was blown down and a great deal of
stock was killed. Caskell's livery stable at Magazine was blown and several
horses killed.

Weather Forecast for To-day For West Viginia, parity cloudy Friday; rain Saturday; northeasterly winds. For western Pennsylvania, fair Friday, increasible cloudiness Saturday; brisk northeasterly winds.
For Ohlo, fair in northern, rain in southern, portion Saturday; brisk northeasterly winds.

Local Temperature.

#### your interests and welfare. In no city were you followed from Hong Kong with greater interest or more anxious concern, than was felt in our city of Wheeling, and our people rejoiced as one in your glorious victory at Manila And to-day they have deputed to convey to you their cordial invitation to be present and take part in the ceremonies being arranged for Feb-ruary 22 next, when a tablet will be set to commemorate the last battle of the American Revolution, the siege Fort Henry, in 1782. And they insist upon your acceptance, and as an in-ducement for your presence there is to be presented a sword to Lieut. Doddridge, of the navy, who served as an ensign on your cruiser Boston in the battle of Manila Bay. By accepting you will honor this deserving young man who has grown to manhood in your midst, and whose career in navy is watched by his townsmen with great interest. It is not my desire to further detain you, but before conclud

ing I desire to present this beautiful

bottery, a leading industry, of our city,

miration, which, the admiral being hu-

man, could not resist. In part, he said:

board the train, I was met by many

people, and they invariably said: 'Re

member me to Dewey.' I know ther

whose whole people are more attach

o city of its size in the country

mittee representing the people

"Admiral Dewey, we come as a com

greet you and your amia-

Last evening, while going or

None feel more devotion for

filled with the sentiment of loyal ad- | clous words the admiral next uttered, Speechmaking Not His Strong Point Admiral and Mrs. Dewey, both of whom are good judges of pottery, were delighted with the jardinler. "And, George, I'm in it," was the pleased

comment of Mrs. Dewey when she read

the inscription on the top of the ped-

"Now you must write me out a good speech," said the admiral to the Intel ligencer man, whom he had observed making notes. "And that reminds me "And that reminds me of something that occurred when went to my Vermont home a few weeks The mayor was talking to me ago. both of us being seated on the stage He turned and said: 'See that pretty woman?' And I said: 'Which one?' and that was all the speechmaking we made, but the newspapers reported our

speeches just the same." 'Now, before you go, gentlemen, we want to show some of the remembrances we have received from the American people," said the admiral, and during the ensuing time both Admiral and Mrs. Dewey and Mrs. Ludlow charmingly entertained the Wheeling people. Their house is full of presents. Of them all, the admiral prizes most the diamond-studded and gold-embossed sword presented by the nation through Congress. A Tender Chord.

In the course of the chat that ensu Admiral Dewey spoke feelingly of the criticism that had followed the transfer of his home to Mrs. Dewey, and showed how keenly he had been hurt by these thoughtless criticisms. "You understand-why shouldn't a